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SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 17, 1888.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are requested to announce CHARLES C. HARTSHORN as a candidate for Township Collector at the coming April election.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

ROGERS BROS. 1847 triple plate tea and table spoons at  
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & CO'S.

CALDWELL has the best hard coal in market. P. O. Block. 24th

The racket on West Decatur street this morning was simply a family affair. No arrests.

Four first-class barbers at Singleton's, basement of National bank. Jan. 17-18

Another glorious, happy, laughing, shouting meeting was witnessed at the Harrison revival last night.

TO HAVE your children's hair cut in good style, send them to Singleton's, under the National bank. Jan. 17-18

THE Decatur Gun Club will have a prize shoot at their hall to-night over Storer's drug store.

An elegant assortment of Silk Handkerchiefs at B. STINE'S. Dec. 22-17

The sale of dollar tickets for Frank Curtis's bicycle race on Jan. 30th is on the boom. The drawing will occur at Cline's saloon.

SEWER a beautiful laprobe and serviceable horse blankets at J. W. Tyler's, south side city park.

PROVE continue to come in from the country nightly to attend the Harrison revival services.

ORDER Decatur coal, Nut or Lump of Caldwell. P. O. Block. 24th

EVERYBODY goes to get big fat oysters and lunch at Miller's new lunch room on Prairie street. Jan. 26-17

FRANK MURPHY, the actor, and his jealous wife had a big row at their room at the St. Nicholas hotel Thursday night after the show. There was no bloodshed, nor hair-pulling. The quarrel grew out of Murphy's supposed fondness for the "widow" in the play of "Old Shipmates."

SILK Umbrellas at STINE'S. 22-17

THEY "sting party" given by Ed. and Will. Frost, Thursday evening, was an innovation in the social line, and proved so enjoyable that it will probably be repeated.

C. B. PATRICK invites special attention to his immense display of popular musical instruments, among which are the celebrated Haines Bros. pianos and Western Cottage organs.

It is stated that Rev. M. L. Walcher, who was pastor of the German Lutheran church at Macon for nearly three years, has disappeared mysteriously. His family resides near Nokomis, in Montgomery county. A son of the missing clergyman, who has not been heard from since November, was at Macon this week in search of information that will locate his father.

MR. CURRY and Barclay coal delivered to any part of city, at \$2.25 per ton, by Ed. Martin. Jan. 6-17

EVERY day Rev. Bland, the pastor of Trinity Methodist church at Chicago, is informed of the nightly revival work at the Harrison meetings, and even the names of some of the converts are sent the Chicago minister. Mr. Harrison will go to the revival city after his labors in Decatur are concluded.

ALWAYS ask for Schroeder's celebrated Bohemian cigars - a nickel each - sold by all first-class dealers in the city.

It was stated last week that there were 84,000 in Miss Simms' room in the 2d grade, 21 ward. It was a mistake. There were none.

CHOICE family groceries in great variety on sale at Niedermeyer's store on the mound.

MARSHAL HEWES and Detective Indolence, of the Wabash, have been on the turf for a few days working up a car-breaking case a month old. They struck a "lead" several days ago and have worked it for all it is worth.

FOR a good clean shave, go to Singleton's new barber shop, under the National bank. Jan. 17-18

THE L. B. & W. will sell excursion tickets to the Cincinnati Musical Festival. Fare for the round trip, \$9.50 - tickets good going on Jan. 28th to Feb. 21st inclusive, and not good returning after Feb. 21st.

YOU will find Keck & Weigand's famous "10-er" and "Keystone" cigars just the smokers you have been pining for. Ask all leading dealers for them. Nov. 10, 17

THE Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, which has a branch society in Decatur, organized thirty-two new divisions during the past year; making a total of 195 subdivisions in good standing, and during the same time the sum of \$10,057.50 was paid to the families and relatives of deceased members, and to members who were rendered unfit for employment through railroad accidents. During the past fourteen years, \$1,255,934 has been paid out of the insurance benefit fund of the society.

THE Decatur, Decatur & Evansville Co. will sell excursion tickets to New Orleans and return on Jan. 21st to Feb. 4th, good in either direction, going and coming three days; tickets, \$20.50, good to return March 1st. This low rate will give our readers an opportunity to take in the Mardi Gras festival at a nominal cost. 25-17

HARMONIA Club  
The next hop will be given at Guards' Armory, on Tuesday evening, Jan. 30, Jan. 19-17

POSTPONED.  
The drawing for the Goodman piano, which was to have taken place to-morrow evening, has been postponed until Friday evening, Feb. 2d.

HARD and SOFT COAL at Ed Martin's coal yard. Jan. 6-17

A FORLORN HOPE.  
Otto J. Doeberg, proprietor of Holland City News, Mich., writes: "A bad cold settled on my side and back, kidney trouble, liver and rheumatism combined; I suffered terribly, though was obliged to move about and attend to business. I tried local doctors, but received no relief, and as a forlorn hope tried your Thomas' Electric Oil; have only used half a fifty cent bottle, and feel as well as I ever did in my life."

Peoria has commenced to move in the matter of securing the location of the State fair at that point for another two years. Citizens there have started out to raise \$13,000 by subscription to meet expenses, and Springfield is hustling herself night and day to accumulate \$8,000; but notwithstanding the fact that the parties most interested at this point will have to subscribe \$20,000, there is no doubt but that sum can be raised, and Decatur will get the prize. Lincoln, Bloomington, Centralia, Champaign, Danville and other towns have the claims of Decatur. The sentiments of these towns are best expressed in the following from the Shelbyville Union of this week:

Decatur is trying to secure the location of the State fair for two years. For convenience of access from all parts of the state no better location could be made. It ought to be permanently located - and at Decatur.

At the lowest estimate it is figured that if the fair is held here it will continue for six days, and the average attendance of outsiders will be 10,000 daily, making a total of 60,000 visitors for the week. These people will spend at least \$2.00 a piece a day in Decatur, which would pour into the hands of our merchants and others a total of at least \$120,000. The committees now at work are up and doing and will not rest until the amount desired is subscribed. The most of this sum will be used in fixing up the grounds, and the work done will be of a permanent character, so that the outlay will not only secure the state attraction and bring great crowds of strangers to our city, but it will place the fair grounds in proper shape for future county and district exhibitions. The committees should be cheerfully encouraged in their efforts, so that the state board may be informed immediately, before it is too late, that Decatur means business.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. H. M. Sawyer, Pennsylvania, is a guest at the New Denning.

Senator Rogers has arrived home from Springfield.

Rev. W. H. Prestley is afflicted with a severe cold.

Mrs. J. F. Miller, of Clinton, is in the city, visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. Waltz.

Mrs. Kate DeBolt, of St. Louis, is in the city.

Geo. A. Challis went to Peoria this afternoon to remain over Sunday.

Weldon Coltrin is sticking type on the Decatur Review. He's a swift compositor.

Charley Ewing, of the REPUBLICAN composing room, has been on the sick list all week.

Misses Minnie Hutchins and Ella McHenry, of Clinton, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hutchins.

Monte Bear left for Chicago this noon to receive further instructions in the "top sheet" branches of the engraving art.

J. H. Hoofstetter, of Sterling, and Lou J. Beauchamp, of Cincinnati, both noted temperance lecturers, were in the city today.

George P. Nichols, the expressman, is on duty at the state house, where he has charge of a senate committee room. He came home last night.

Richard Harkness favors the REPUBLICAN with a copy of the Sherbrooke Gazette, printed in the Province of Quebec. Good word sells at only \$1.50 per cord in Canada, and bay at \$10 per ton.

D. V. Bohon, salesman with L. L. Hays & Co., will leave to-morrow night for a three weeks' visit in Kentucky. It is rumored that he will bring home a partner to share his joys and sorrows.

Captain A. H. Bogardus has accepted a challenge from Dr. W. F. Carver, the great rifle shot of California, to shoot a match of one hundred pigeons each at Louisville, Ky., sometime between the 1st and 10th of February. Mr. Bogardus and Eugene will start for Louisville the first of next week. Mr. Bogardus made other challenges, among which he offers to shoot five hundred clay pigeons, each to decide which can break the largest number; also to shoot 500 on time, for any amount of money that Carver will name.

MUSICALLY the minstrel entertainment given by the Haverley party at the opera house last night, before a paying audience, was a success. The first part was good all the way through, and Mr. Dart and the musical wonders were immense in their line. The orchestra with the trumpet is one of the finest that has lately visited Decatur.

THE Wheeler jury took a tramp through the streets of the city early this morning, in charge of Bailiff Harris. The juryman have been on duty two weeks and look wearied.

THE "Samuel of Posen" combination, with the famous M. B. Curtis as the drummer, will catch a big crowd at the opera house next Saturday night.

\$15 to Kansas.  
Thomas Davis will manage two cheap excursions to points in Southeastern Kansas and Southwestern Missouri, over the Wabash - the first on Tuesday, Feb. 6th, and the second on Tuesday, Feb. 20th. Fare for the round trip from Decatur, \$15. Tickets good for 40 days, with stop-over privileges. 24-17

A \$450 TRUCK.  
Another swindle was recently developed in Indiana, and is as follows: A plain looking elderly man, representing himself as a wealthy farmer, goes into a community ostensibly for the purpose of purchasing land. Having found a farm that suits him, he agrees with the owner upon the price and pays down \$50 to bind the trade, while he goes into a neighboring county for the balance of the purchase money. After he is gone another land buyer presents himself and offers an advance of \$1,000 on the purchase price. A compromise is then made with the first buyer, the farmer paying him \$900 and releasing him from his contract, and patiently awaits the return of the second, who never comes. The farmer is out \$900 and the swindlers are \$450 ahead. This trick has not been played in this county so far as known, and therefore it is all the more necessary that our farmers should be on the watch for the sharpers who are always abroad in the land.

WHEN hungry and wanting anything good to eat, all well cooked, neat and plain and cheapest place in town, go to Miller's new lunch room, Prairie street. Jan. 26-17

HEADQUARTERS  
for Gentlemen's Neckwear at STINE'S. Dec. 22-17

THE MURDER TRIAL.

THE DEFENDANT ON THE WITNESS STAND TELLING HIS OWN STORY.

After Dr. G. W. Caldwell had retired from the witness chair in the circuit court on yesterday afternoon, the defendant in the case of the People vs. J. D. Wheeler, was called upon to testify in his own behalf. The substance of his statement is given below:

Dr. James D. Wheeler, the defendant, testified, in response to interrogations made by Judge Nelson: Have practiced medicine for about 25 years and am 49 years old. Graduated from the Eclectic Medical Institute, Cincinnati, in 1870, but had practiced medicine before that time, commencing at Zanesville, Ill., in December, 1858; was not married then, but was wedded Jan. 10, 1860; my first wife died; in the fall of 1874 I married my present wife. Lived at Zanesville and at Raymond continuously from 1858 to 1880, except during the time I attended the institute; practiced medicine at Zanesville 16 years, and have not engaged in any other business since 1858; have made my living by practicing medicine; have been a member of the Illinois State Eclectic Medical Society since 1871; was for two years president of the society, and for three years vice-president; am an honorary member of the Missouri Eclectic Medical Society. I removed from Raymond to Decatur in July, 1880, and have frequently been called to the old neighborhoods of Zanesville and Raymond to attend patients, sometimes as often as two or three times a month - not so frequently of late. Was acquainted with Stella Risley, the deceased, during her lifetime; first met her on Jan. 17, 1882, when she came to my office in company with her father, A. T. Risley, who introduced her to me. Mr. Risley stated that his daughter had been treated by Dr. W. H. Walters, but as he had moved away he had selected witness in place of Walters. The father desired me to examine Stella; I did so, and discovered that she had nasal catarrh, and her tonsils were inflamed; gave the girl medicine from Jan. 17 to May 26. She came to my office repeatedly; prescribed for her and sent her medicine by messenger; Stella's brother came after medicine for her once. At the middle of February I made a physical examination of the deceased. She said she desired it and that her mother thought it ought to be done. Told Stella to go home and I would come to the house. Did so, and that afternoon met Mrs. Risley and was introduced to her by the daughter. At that time Stella spoke of her condition and said she had suffered intensely and that Dr. Walters had treated her for leucorrhoea; I made a physical examination of Stella in the presence of her mother, and found that inflammation of parts existed. Deceased called at my office twice a week until May 26, and did not treat her again until Sept. 10. Never gave her any letter or writing on paper except prescriptions. The witness declared having met Stella at places described by Fred Stommel. Saw her on Sept. 10 at my office, when she spoke about her health; complained of stomach and pains in the head. Saw her again in my office on Sept. 15, when she complained of leucorrhoea; said it was worse; gave her medicine and next time saw her in my office on Sept. 25; she did not remain longer than fifteen minutes. Said she had been to a picnic and was afraid she had caught cold; said she felt like she was going to be sick; told her to take medicine I had already given her, and at my suggestion she left the office to go home. I went down stairs a few minutes afterward; found Miss Risley on pavement; she came to me and said she was in bodily pain. I got Dr. Clark's buggy and took her home but did not go in the house with her. Told her to go in, lie down and to keep quiet. Witness denied having walked with deceased and flirted with her on the streets. He had met her once when returning from visiting a patient, and stopped once at the house and talked with her in the presence of the family.

Upon the reassembling of court this morning, the direct examination of the defendant was resumed. He told his story in a quiet way, without any show of nervousness whatever. He testified: I never walked with Stella on East North street at any time day or night. After taking her home in my buggy on Sept. 25, I returned to my office and visited Lou Brockway's dwelling professionally and was there an hour. When I returned to office I found A. T. Risley there. He said Stella was suffering very much. This was about 11 o'clock. Got some medicine in office and drove to home of Stella; found her suffering a good deal. Her hands and feet were cold. Had bricks heated for her; said she appeared to have convulsions and had taken cold. I treated her for dysmenorrhoea. Witness here described his treatment of deceased with a syringe in presence of Mrs. Risley and Mrs. Loring. Stella was quiet and "lucky" on their recent trial here. He did not make a great fuss over a small thing. After four or five days from time Stella was taken sick I suggested having counsel. Made the suggestion on Oct. 10, and told the family that deceased was not so well, and if they would feel better satisfied to have counsel that it would be satisfactory to me; said they could have whoever they wanted. The mother said they were satisfied. From that time on I saw Stella no more. I never told me of Dr. Walters treating her. Witness entered specific denials to testimony given by members of the Risley family as to his conduct with the deceased while she was sick, and that he never told Mrs. Risley to go to the room.

Was present at post mortem examination. Everything was in readiness for the investigation when I arrived. Dr. Bunsford, first agent of the body, and he came with R. C. Dr. Watson remarked that there was no evidence that Wheeler did it, and spoke of how a doctor might be imposed upon. I then remarked, "No, gentlemen; this is the first I know of the case. I had a consultation with Mr. Risley immediately after the post mortem. He spoke of a letter being given to me during the last of the girl's illness. I said there was and that I did not know where it was. He said it was sealed; and that if he would come to my office some time I would tell him all about it. The girl had asked me to mail a letter for her. It was taken out of a handkerchief and handed to me. I took the letter and mailed it. Did walk with Miss Risley on Eldorado street once. She overtook me on Water street. I was going to the depot to see Mr. Keyes at the time. We went company with L. Hays corner. She went north and I went to the depot. The instrument was produced which the prosecution had given in evidence. Witness said: "After had this instrument in my house or used it there. I had it made intending to utilize it, with a purpose of seeing what I could make of it. Don't believe much in patenting such things. It was not finished as I intended to have a bolt run through it; put it in a drawer used as a deposit for instruments. Fred Stommel never delivered a letter to me from Miss Risley in answer to one written by me. I never walked with Miss Risley at any time but had a conversation with Fred Willis in basement of Race's store, and told him that Stella was worse, and that if she didn't get better soon she would die. He said, 'I know you (Wheeler) wanted counsel.' That instrument has never been used for anything. Never used any instrument in treating Miss Risley but the speculum, the syringe and the dilator. Miss Risley told me in my office on Sept.

26 that she felt like she was going to be sick; that she had been out to a fishing party and thought she had taken cold. Her mother spoke of this, too, at the time.

The first I knew of anything strange in Miss Risley's condition was communicated to me by Willis in basement of Race's store; that was the first day of Stella's sickness. First met Mrs. Risley on Feb. 10. I treated Miss Risley for nasal catarrh, leucorrhoea and dysmenorrhoea - for dysmenorrhoea after Sept. 25 to Oct. 10. Had no suspicions of her alleged interesting condition during the whole time. Did not treat her criminally, and made no wounds. Had no agency nor knowledge of any criminal act.

The direct examination of Dr. Wheeler was completed soon after 11 o'clock, when Judge Smith ordered that court adjourn until 8:30 o'clock Monday. The people will then cross-examine the defendant.

A NOISY NIGHT.

SEEKING SHOUTING AT THE HARRISON MEETING LAST NIGHT.

The Harrison revival meeting last night was characterized by more enthusiasm and excitement than has yet been witnessed. The church was crowded with the serious and curious, and after the exhortation by Rev. Harrison, whose faith and endurance are surprising, more than 40 seekers came forward. The services ended in the conversion of about 18 of the penitents. One of the seekers, a well-known citizen well along in the journey of life, was converted laughing. He was very demonstrative and shook hands with all his friends within reach. He embraced his wife and also some of the brethren. Most of the women who were blessed were converted shouting, and there was a happy time all round, particularly in the vicinity of the altar, where the "boy preacher" spoke cheering words to the seekers and shook hands with the converts while he led the singing of "Praise God" hymns. The revival seems to break out afresh in new quarters of the city and in new families every evening of late, and there is no telling who will be next, or when the meetings will end. There is no disposition to discontinue the services at present, and they will not be brought to a close so long as there are any considerable number of seekers for salvation. The influence of the meeting is having its effect on a larger number of grown people and has gathered in penitents from other than Methodist congregations. The jubilee over 300 converts will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

TEMPORANCE FLASHES.  
Decatur charges \$500 for license and has 21 saloons. Rockford \$520 and 22 saloons; Bloomington \$600 and 33 saloons; Paris \$800 and 6 saloons; Elgin \$500 and 15 saloons; Danville \$400 and 40 saloons. There are over 4,000 saloons in Chicago, and yet they pay only \$12,000 yearly tax.

MR. UNDERWOOD, proprietor of a large packing house in Chicago, says he is compelled to hire an extra night watchman for \$1,000 a year, pays \$500 a year for extra day services to keep off his premises the vicious and drunken tramps who visit the groggeries in his vicinity; also that an employee while drunk burned up \$1,200 worth of lard, scalded himself to death, and that he had to bury him at an expense of \$100, and then the saloon keepers presented a whisky bill of \$13 and were mad because he refused payment. That is, the whisky business cost him last year \$2,500. -E.A.

THE other day the REPUBLICAN stated that Henry Flood, of this county, had plenty of good seed corn, but it appears there is a famine of this indispensable article over in Champaign county. Says the Champaign Gazette of this week: "Some of our best farmers are beginning to realize that there will be trouble in getting good seed corn when planting time comes. We have never known a season when the corn was green and full of moisture when real hard, freezing weather came, that the corn was not injured. It is not safe to assume, because an ear of corn looks well and is now dry, that it will grow. Sometimes under very favorable circumstances, poor seed will grow; but he is a poor farmer indeed who will knowingly risk his chances of losing his crop by using poor seed. In some adjoining counties farmers have clubbed together and sent to Kansas for seed. This is better than taking chances."

COMEDY.  
On Wednesday and Thursday evenings next the Harry Webber Comedy Company will appear at the opera house. Wednesday night "Nip and Tuck" will be the bill. An exchange says:

The reputation that Harry Webber and his company made in the funny drama of "Nip and Tuck" on their recent trial here, did not make a great fuss over a small thing. After four or five days from time Stella was taken sick I suggested having counsel. Made the suggestion on Oct. 10, and told the family that deceased was not so well, and if they would feel better satisfied to have counsel that it would be satisfactory to me; said they could have whoever they wanted. The mother said they were satisfied. From that time on I saw Stella no more. I never told me of Dr. Walters treating her. Witness entered specific denials to testimony given by members of the Risley family as to his conduct with the deceased while she was sick, and that he never told Mrs. Risley to go to the room.

PETITIONS.  
A request comes from headquarters that all petitions be sent in by Feb. 1st. Mrs. Willard desires that extra exertions be made to secure the largest possible number of names. W. C. T. U.

GO TO Dr. Thomas S. Hawkins to get your dental work done. Cor. Main and Water streets, Decatur, Ill. 24th

RICHARD DOUGLAS, of Columbia, Ill., writes: "Brown's Iron Bitters is the best tonic medicine I have ever found. I will recommend it." 26

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The Evening Call from W. W. Wabash's Commission Rooms, at 1 p. m. To-day.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.  
WHEAT - \$1.04 1/2; Jan. \$1.04 1/2; Feb. \$1.05 1/2; Mar. \$1.06 1/2; April \$1.07 1/2; May \$1.08 1/2; June \$1.09 1/2; July \$1.10 1/2; Aug. \$1.11 1/2; Sept. \$1.12 1/2; Oct. \$1.13 1/2; Nov. \$1.14 1/2; Dec. \$1.15 1/2.  
CORN - 55 1/2; Jan. 55 1/2; Feb. 55 1/2; Mar. 55 1/2; April 55 1/2; May 55 1/2; June 55 1/2; July 55 1/2; Aug. 55 1/2; Sept. 55 1/2; Oct. 55 1/2; Nov. 55 1/2; Dec. 55 1/2.  
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NEW YORK, Jan. 17.  
WHEAT - \$1.14 1/2; Jan. \$1.14 1/2; Feb. \$1.15 1/2; Mar. \$1.16 1/2; April \$1.17 1/2; May \$1.18 1/2; June \$1.19 1/2; July \$1.20 1/2; Aug. \$1.21 1/2; Sept. \$1.22 1/2; Oct. \$1.23 1/2; Nov. \$1.24 1/2; Dec. \$1.25 1/2.  
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GREAT REDUCTION

Dolmans, Sacques

ULSTERS!

Fancy Winter Dress Goods,

BLANKETS, FLANNELS,

HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR.

LINN & SCRUGGS,

Dry Goods, Carpets, Wall-Paper and Upholsterers' Materials.

Agents for Butterick's Patterns.

Jan. 4, 1888 - 1887

A SWEEPING REDUCTION

Will be made on all Goods

Sold Between Now and March 1st

This Holds Good in Every Department.

CLOTHING,

HATS, CAPS,

Furnishing Goods,

Trunks, Valises,

and Suits to Order,

ONE-PRICE

Clothing House,

Corner Old Square and Main Street.

FLEURY, the French Cutter

Jan. 4, 1888 - 1887

We will offer during January, to close out, an OVERSTOCK of the following goods:

100 dozen 1847 Rogers Bros' Silver Plated Knives at \$3.50 per dozen.

100 5-Bottle Triple Plated Casters at \$2.75.

50 Quadruple Plated Butter Dishes, bail handles, covers hang up, at \$4.50; never sold less than \$5.50.

50 Quadruple Plated Cake Baskets at \$4.00; never sold less than \$5.00.

Also 1847 Rogers Bros' Forks, Spoons, Etc., at equally low prices.

PLEASE REMEMBER WE ONLY OFFER THESE PRICES DURING JANUARY, and all these goods are the same high standard of quality we always handled.

Come in and buy what you are going to need in this line for the next year! It will pay you.

Respectfully,

O. E. CURTIS & Co.

TWO WEEKS POSITIVELY AT COST!

White Wool Blankets, Gray Wool Blankets, Comforters, Wool Fannels, Cotton Fannels, Kentucky Jeans, Dress Goods, Velvets, Plushes, Velveteens, Cretones and Fringes, Hosiery and Underwear, Winter Gloves and Mittens, &c., &c. Millinery Goods at half price.

Cloaks and Dolmans at 15 per cent. less than cost. Remember the place.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,

20 East Main St., Powers' Block.

LOW PRICES

FOR

Boots and Shoes!

Believing that it does not pay to carry goods over from one season to another, I have always made a Clearance Sale between each season, and as a consequence my stock is the newest



